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Clerk, U. S. Dist. Court  
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

ETHEL L. GRIFFIN,

Plaintiff,

v.

AC&S, INC., et al.,

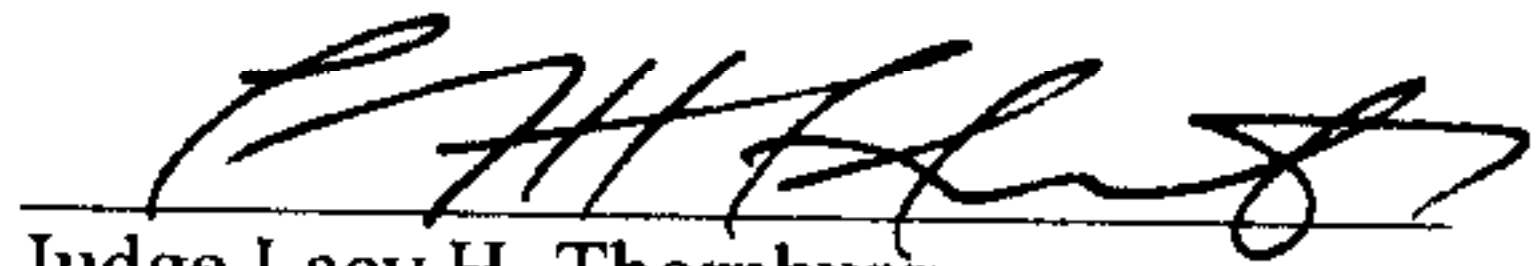
Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:01CV604-T

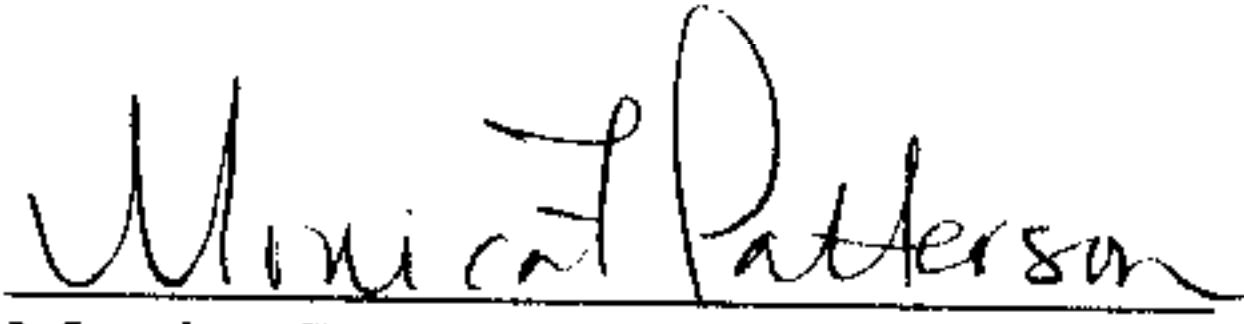
**ORDER OF DISMISSAL OF DEFENDANTS**

This Court, with the consent and approval of the parties, hereby dismisses without prejudice, Plaintiff's Complaint, for Plaintiff Ethel L. Griffin, in the above-styled cause of action, against Defendant D. B. Riley, Inc, f/k/a Riley Stoker Corporation.

ORDERED, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2005.

  
Judge Lacy H. Thornburg

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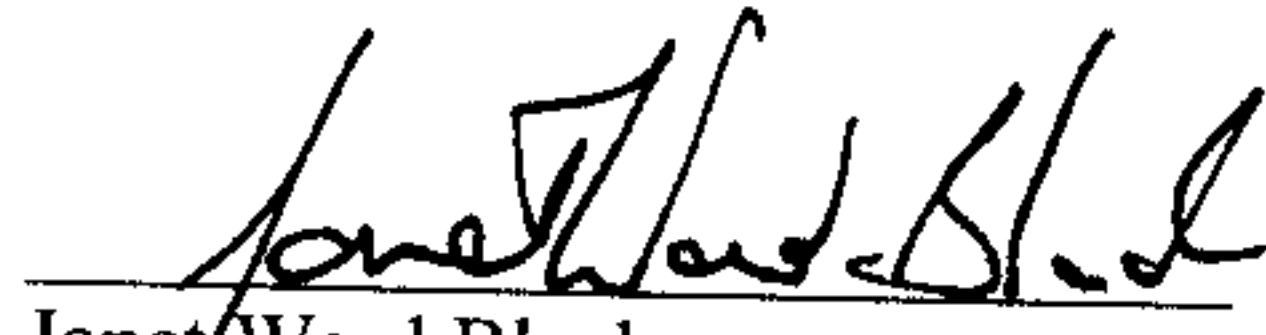
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## **EXHIBIT A**



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